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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Hikaru Matsuda et al. for: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INJECTING LIQUID DRUG CONTAINING BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL. Enclosed are: \boxtimes 19 sheet(s) of drawings, 97 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices: 0. Declaration. Power of Attorney. П Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: П. Other Than Claims as Filed Col. 1 Col. 2 Small Entity Small Entity For. No. Filed No. Extra Fee Rate Fee or Basic Fee \$ 375 or 750 **Total Claims** x\$9= \$ x\$18= or \$ Indep. Claims x\$42= x\$84= \$ or \$ Multiple Dependent Claims Present +\$140= \$ or +\$280= \$ *If the difference in col. 1 is less than zero, or enter "0" in col. 2. Total \$ Total \$ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$: ____ . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$: to cover the filing fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17. \Box The issue fee set in 37 CFR § 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.311(b).

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